Docket No. 708-4057

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

RECEIVED

Applicant(s):

Phyllis SHAPIRO

AUG 0 9 2001

To Be Assigned

TECH CENTER 1600/290(

Serial No.:

09/865,759

Examiner:

Group Art Unit:

To Be Assigned

Filed:

May 25, 2001

For:

Automated Method for Correcting Blood Analysis Parameter Results Affected by Interference from Exogenous Blood Substitutes in Whole Blood, Plasma, and

Serum

EXPRESS MAIL CERTIFICATE

Express Mail Label No.:

EL 853 256 680 US

Date of Deposit:

August 2, 2001

I hereby certify that the following attached paper(s) and/or fee

- 1. Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages);
- PTO Form 1449 with 4 listed references (1 page); 2.
- Copies of References 1-4;
- Return Receipt Postcard

are being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. §1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Jesus Raul Remedios

(Typed or printed name of person mailing papers(s) and/or fee)

(Signature of person mailing paper(s) and/or fee)

Correspondence Address:

MORGAN & FINNEGAN, L.L.P. 345 Park Avenue New York, NY 10154-0053 (212) 758-4800 Telephone (212) 751-6849 Facsimile